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POSITION

REF: SIMONOFF-BUCHWALD EMAIL OF 5/1/09

11. (U) This is an action request.

12. (SBU) Department understands per REFTEL that AmCit David Tolbert plans to submit a formal application for the position of Registrar of the Special Tribunal for Lebanon in the coming days. There is no other AmCit candidate and Tolbert appears well-qualified. USUN should support Tolbert's candidacy with the appropriate officials in the UN Secretariat. Department defers to USUN as to the appropriate time and level of contact.
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